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Table 2.35A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	46,870	10,577	7,787
AGE			
12-17	1,975	1,063	487
18-25	7,367	2,489	1,502
26 or Older	37,528	7,025	5,797
GENDER			
Male	39,102	9,703	7,242
Female	7,767	874	545
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	44,300	10,156	7,626
White	39,086	9,314	6,979
Black or African American	3,402	472	411
American Indian or Alaska Native	481	161	126
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	51	12	8
Asian	626	72	16
Two or More Races	654	125	86
Hispanic or Latino	2,570	421	161

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 2.35B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	19.9	4.5	3.3
AGE			
12-17	8.0	4.3	2.0
18-25	23.7	8.0	4.8
26 or Older	20.9	3.9	3.2
GENDER			
Male	34.4	8.5	6.4
Female	6.4	0.7	0.4
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	21.5	4.9	3.7
White	23.6	5.6	4.2
Black or African American	12.7	1.8	1.5
American Indian or Alaska Native	32.5	10.9	8.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	6.2	1.4	1.0
Asian	6.9	0.8	0.2
Two or More Races	26.0	5.0	3.4
Hispanic or Latino	8.8	1.4	0.6

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 2.36A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	1,975	1,063	487
GENDER			
Male	1,576	888	436
Female	399	175	51
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,831	985	468
White	1,666	938	452
Black or African American	87	19	4
American Indian or Alaska Native	32	17	7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*
Asian	12	2	*
Two or More Races	31	8	3
Hispanic or Latino	144	78	20
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN			
Male - White	1,343	784	405
Female - White	323	154	47
Male - Black or African American	54	15	4
Female - Black or African American	33	4	0
Male - Hispanic or Latino	121	67	18
Female - Hispanic or Latino	22	11	2

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 2.36B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	8.0	4.3	2.0
GENDER			
Male	12.5	7.0	3.4
Female	3.3	1.4	0.4
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	8.8	4.7	2.2
White	10.7	6.0	2.9
Black or African American	2.4	0.5	0.1
American Indian or Alaska Native	16.8	8.8	3.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*
Asian	1.2	0.2	*
Two or More Races	7.9	2.1	0.7
Hispanic or Latino	3.7	2.0	0.5
GENDER/RACE/HISPANIC ORIGIN			
Male - White	16.9	9.8	5.1
Female - White	4.3	2.0	0.6
Male - Black or African American	2.9	0.8	0.2
Female - Black or African American	1.8	0.2	0.0
Male - Hispanic or Latino	6.0	3.3	0.9
Female - Hispanic or Latino	1.2	0.6	0.1

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

Table 2.37A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	7,367	2,489	1,502
GENDER			
Male	5,882	2,297	1,455
Female	1,485	192	47
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	6,746	2,306	1,431
White	6,149	2,178	1,356
Black or African American	269	54	32
American Indian or Alaska Native	91	31	25
Native Native Hawaiian or Other	91	31	23
Pacific Islander	*	9	5
Asian	102	12	1
Two or More Races	109	22	14
Hispanic or Latino	621	183	70
EDUCATION			
< High School	1,452	515	294
High School Graduate	2,568	947	602
Some College	2,388	803	488
College Graduate	959	224	117
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT			
Full-Time	4,069	1,350	880
Part-Time	1,605	557	300
Unemployed	614	194	112
Other ¹	1,080	388	210

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

¹ Retired person, disabled person, homemaker, student, or other person not in the labor force.

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Table 2.37B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	23.7	8.0	4.8
GENDER			
Male	37.9	14.8	9.4
Female	9.6	1.2	0.3
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	26.4	9.0	5.6
White	31.8	11.3	7.0
Black or African American	6.6	1.3	0.8
American Indian or Alaska Native	42.3	14.3	11.6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	5.1	2.9
Asian	7.5	0.8	0.1
Two or More Races	27.1	5.6	3.3
Hispanic or Latino	11.3	3.3	1.3
EDUCATION			
< High School	21.1	7.5	4.3
High School Graduate	24.3	8.9	5.7
Some College	24.4	8.2	5.0
College Graduate	25.3	5.9	3.1
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT			
Full-Time	28.1	9.3	6.1
Part-Time	20.3	7.1	3.8
Unemployed	25.0	7.9	4.6
Other ¹	17.5	6.3	3.4

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 2.38A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

Demographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD		
	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	37,528	7,025	5,797
GENDER			
Male	31,645	6,518	5,351
Female	5,883	507	447
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	35,723	6,865	5,727
White	31,272	6,198	5,171
Black or African American	3,047	399	374
American Indian or Alaska			
Native	358	114	95
Native Hawaiian or Other			
Pacific Islander	*	*	*
Asian	511	59	15
Two or More Races	514	94	69
Hispanic or Latino	1,805	160	71
EDUCATION			
< High School	6,087	1,428	1,267
High School Graduate	12,364	2,665	2,229
Some College	9,368	1,446	1,232
College Graduate	9,708	1,486	1,069
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT			
Full-Time	26,112	5,183	4,321
Part-Time	2,813	399	311
Unemployed	1,081	274	195
Other ¹	7,521	1,169	970

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Table 2.38B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 26 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002

	TIME PERIOD		
Demographic Characteristic	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	20.9	3.9	3.2
GENDER			
Male	37.0	7.6	6.3
Female	6.3	0.5	0.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	22.4	4.3	3.6
White	24.0	4.7	4.0
Black or African American	15.9	2.1	2.0
American Indian or Alaska			
Native	33.3	10.6	8.8
Native Hawaiian or Other			
Pacific Islander	*	*	*
Asian	7.7	0.9	0.2
Two or More Races	29.9	5.5	4.0
Hispanic or Latino	9.2	0.8	0.4
EDUCATION			
< High School	20.1	4.7	4.2
High School Graduate	21.5	4.6	3.9
Some College	21.9	3.4	2.9
College Graduate	19.9	3.0	2.2
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT			
Full-Time	25.6	5.1	4.2
Part-Time	14.4	2.0	1.6
Unemployed	21.1	5.3	3.8
Other ¹	14.3	2.2	1.8

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Table 2.39A Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

Demographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD		
	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	44,895	9,514	7,299
GENDER			
Male	37,527	8,815	6,806
Female	7,368	699	493
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	42,469	9,171	7,158
White	37,420	8,376	6,527
Black or African American	3,315	453	406
American Indian or Alaska			
Native	449	145	120
Native Hawaiian or Other			
Pacific Islander	47	10	6
Asian	614	70	16
Two or More Races	623	117	83
Hispanic or Latino	2,426	343	141
EDUCATION			
< High School	7,539	1,943	1,561
High School Graduate	14,932	3,612	2,832
Some College	11,757	2,249	1,720
College Graduate	10,667	1,710	1,187
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT			
Full-Time	30,181	6,533	5,201
Part-Time	4,418	957	611
Unemployed	1,695	469	308
Other ¹	8,601	1,557	1,180

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Table 2.39B Smokeless Tobacco Use in Lifetime, Past Year, and Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2002

Demographic Characteristic	TIME PERIOD		
	Lifetime	Past Year	Past Month
TOTAL	21.3	4.5	3.5
GENDER			
Male	37.2	8.7	6.7
Female	6.7	0.6	0.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE			
Not Hispanic or Latino	22.9	5.0	3.9
White	25.0	5.6	4.4
Black or African American	14.3	2.0	1.8
American Indian or Alaska			
Native	34.8	11.2	9.3
Native Hawaiian or Other			
Pacific Islander	6.4	1.4	0.9
Asian	7.6	0.9	0.2
Two or More Races	29.4	5.5	3.9
Hispanic or Latino	9.6	1.4	0.6
EDUCATION			
< High School	20.3	5.2	4.2
High School Graduate	22.0	5.3	4.2
Some College	22.4	4.3	3.3
College Graduate	20.3	3.3	2.3
CURRENT EMPLOYMENT			
Full-Time	25.9	5.6	4.5
Part-Time	16.1	3.5	2.2
Unemployed	22.3	6.2	4.1
Other ¹	14.6	2.6	2.0

^{*}Low precision; no estimate reported.

¹ Retired person, disabled person, homemaker, student, or other person not in the labor force.